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In re application of:

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For: **METHODS AND COMPOUNDS FOR MODULATING MELANOCORTIN RECEPTOR ACTIVITY**

Examiner:

Art Unit:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated June 8, 2001, Applicant(s) provide the following:

- 1) A petition to extend the period of response for three months;
- 2) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application;
- 3) A paper copy of the sequence listing;
- 4) A signed declaration;
- 5) A fee authorization; and
- 6) A computer readable form of the sequence listing.

Please amend the specification as follows

In the Specification.

After the specification, delete the existing sequence listing and insert the accompanying replacement sequence listing.

Delete the paragraph at page 4, line 31 through page 5, line 2 and insert: